

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:

Replace insert the following two paragraphs after page 5, line 11, and between the title of the detailed description section and the first paragraph of the detailed description section:

This invention provides effective real-time, simultaneous editing and collaboration capabilities among possibly geographically distributed mobile users for operation on, for example, video data, a video clip, or multimedia data, referred to herein generically as an editable object. The source of the editable object can be remote (e.g. received from an image archive via the Internet), or it could be local (e.g. obtained from an image capture device or a camera that is part of a mobile terminal or that is coupled to the mobile terminal). Further, the invention provides a method, and computer program for directing a computer to execute the method, to operate a set of mobile terminals, which includes storing an editable object in the mobile terminals, and simultaneously editing the editable object using at least some of the mobile terminals, where the mobile terminals that are used for editing the editable object send locally generated edit commands to other mobile terminals of the set of mobile terminals.

The invention also provides a wireless communication system that includes a set of mobile terminals, at least one of the mobile terminals having the ability to edit an editable object and transmit information that includes edit commands, via the wireless communications system, to other mobile terminals for implementing collaborative editing of the editable object or observing collaborative editing of the editable object. At the commencement of an editing session, each mobile terminal has a copy of the editable object. Each mobile terminal also has a list of its own edit commands as well as a list of the edit commands of other users. Only the edit commands are moving on a network, preferably including at least one wireless network, that couples together the set of mobile terminals, and each user can copy another user's edit commands to his terminal if he wishes to. These edit commands can be in a compressed form to minimize bandwidth usage. Basically there is no final and official version of the editable object.

Each user, by deciding which version of the editable object they wish to retain as a "final" version, controls their own version management. If the final result is agreed upon by the individual members of the group, then the final version is the same for all members of the group. If there are differences as to the contents of the "final" version, then each member of the group may have his or her own final version.

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